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Mr. Charles L. A. Terreni Chief Clerk/Administrator South Carolina Public Service Commission Synergy Business Park, The Saluda Building 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Notice of Use of Trade Name "TruVista" by Chester, Lockhart and Ridgeway Telephone Companies and Fairfield Communications, Inc.

Dear Mr. Terreni:

I am writing on behalf of Chester, Lockhart, and Ridgeway Telephone Companies and Fairfield Communications, Inc., to inform the Commission that these companies began doing business using the trade name "TruVista" earlier this year. The companies have not changed, and do not intend to change, their legal names. The companies' customers were informed of the use of the trade name via individual mailings to all customers, as well as through publication of full-page advertisements in newspapers of general circulation in the area. Stories about the trade name also appeared on the front pages of local newspapers of general circulation. A copy of the full-page newspaper advertisement that appeared in local newspapers for a week is enclosed. Also enclosed is the notice that was mailed to each individual customer.

We are also responding to a letter from the Commission dated November 28, 2006, inquiring as to the Ridgeway Telephone Company's use of the TruVista trade name. Due to an oversight, the Commission was not informed of the use of the trade name prior to its use. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. If there is anything further the companies need to do with respect to this matter, please let us know.

Very truly yours.

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M. John Bowen,

cc: Florence P. Belser, Esquire

True Vision Making Connections

Introducing

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COMMUNICATIONS

Chester Telephone Company Lockhart Telephone Company Ridgeway Telephone Company Fairfield Communications

Coming together as one great company

Since 1897, we have been dedicated to two primary operating principles.

- Always remain **true** to our local heritage, and
- Always look past the horizon to the **vista** that is our future.

By remaining **true** to our local citizens, we have grown to be the leading provider of telecommunications services in Chester and Fairfield Counties.

By keeping our eye on the **vista** of the future, we have kept up with all of the latest technologies:

Telephone, Television, Internet, Wireless.

Today, we will serve you, our customers, better, because we have combined resources, talents and ideas.

We are one company with a strong history.

We are one company dedicated to serving our local communities.

We are one company helping you make connections to the past and for the future.

We are



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